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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Richard Kardeis and Wolfgang Wendtner

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For: FAST-FIT COUPLING FOR
CONNECTING APPLIANCES FORMING
PART OF A MEDICAL OR SURGICAL
HANDPIECE SYSTEM TO A SUPPLY
HOSE

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AMENDMENT

This responds to the Office action dated September 21, 2005. Please amend the referenced application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 5.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 13, and include the attached replacement sheets.

Remarks begin on page 14.

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